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**From:** Sarah Peters  
**Sent:** Sat 2/11/2017 12:01:47 AM  
**Subject:** RE: PE sample(s) for Yerington Anaconda site by ICP-MS Case

Keith,

A box with six sample containers was shipped to you yesterday. USPS Tracking number 9405 8036 9930 0400 5377 17. The package should arrive at your office on Monday, February 13. Let me know if you have any problems.

Thanks,

Sarah Peters EI CEM

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Send Tracking info to Keith Strout please...

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Dietrick, Dante – What is the status of QATS receiving the containers for the Yerington Anaconda PE double blind samples? According to ASB, the containers are still outstanding. Thank you.

Susan Sturges

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Good Morning,

From what I understand, QATS still has not received the containers for the PE sample(s) to be included with this case. Can I please have a status update on this?

Please know that QATS is in the process of preparing the samples so they can be shipped next week. If Regional containers do not arrive soon, then QATS will likely have to ship the PE samples directly to the lab (blind instead of double blind).

Thanks for the update!

Brett Moody

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Thanks Dietrick

Keith

Sent from my iPhone

On Jan 24, 2017, at 4:59 PM, Dietrick McGinnis <[dmcginnis@mcginnisandassociates.com](mailto:dmcginnis@mcginnisandassociates.com)> wrote:

Keith,

1. We can supply the containers, we will use 4 oz wide mouth clear (may use amber depending on stock, but they are not required). We can ship this week.
2. We generally will have 80 samples, so I assume 4 of any QA/QC type is fine.
3. We would like them by the end of next week but will not start shipping out until the following week.
4. Shipping address below.

Susan, I am assuming on the sample size is what we have used before and that the lab is not supplying containers so if you could confirm that, I would appreciate it.

Thanks,

Dietrick

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Thanks

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Back in the office this afternoon and will get this together for you.

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Dante, Dietrick –

Please let Keith Strout of QATS know right away if you still intend the PE sample to be double-blind. If so, empty bottles need to be sent asap and Keith requires highlighted information sent in an earlier email (also in email chain below).

Thank you.

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**Subject:** RE: PE sample(s) for Yerington Anaconda site by ICP-MS Case

There has been no response in the last week regarding this PE sample with this case. Could someone from R9 please update Keith Strout on this status?

Thanks,

Brett Moody

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Thanks, Keith!

R9 – please let Keith know asap if this PE sample is still going to be double-blind. If so, please send the desired empty bottles asap and provide Keith with the highlighted information below. If time is an issue, there is the option of this being a blind sample with QATS sending the PE sample directly to the scheduled lab.

Thanks,

Brett Moody

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**Subject:** RE: PE sample(s) for Yerington Anaconda site by ICP-MS Case

Good Morning Brett,

I was just about to send an email regarding this PES. Dietrick sent me an email with the contact information, so I assume this is where the PES should be sent. We have not received the bottles for the PES, assuming that they want it in the same containers as the field samples. We have



determined the analytes and concentrations to be used, and understand that it is a soil sample. What we need at this point is the containers, if they are to be supplied to us, the size of the sample needed, number of bottles, the date needed, and a confirmation on the shipping address.

We hope this information helps.

Thanks,

Keith

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Hello Everyone,

Just checking on the status of the PE samples to be included with this case....have any bottles been sent to the QATS address below? Thank you in advance for the update!

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**Subject:** PE sample(s) for Yerington Anaconda site by ICP-MS Case

Good Morning Dietrick, et al,

I can help facilitate the process for the double-blind PE samples. Since this a double-blind PE sample, the same sample bottles that will be used in the field need to be sent to QATS. The address to send the bottle(s) is:

Keith Strout

Quality Assurance Technical Support Laboratory  
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Items that QATS will need to know about the PE sample for preparation:

1. Analytes
2. Concentrations of analytes
3. Matrix/Matrices
4. # of bottles
5. Volume/Mass to prepare (dependent on # of bottles)

6. Delivery Name/Address to send the finished PE sample
7. Shipping dates of samples (to ensure that the solution can get to desired address in time)

Keith – please let everyone know if anything else is needed as we move along.

Thank you,

Brett Moody

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**Subject:** re: Draft technical requirements modified analysis for Yerington Anaconda site by ICP-MS

Hi everyone,

Looks like we're good to go. Sampling is scheduled to occur first week of February sometime.

Keith, can you coordinate with Dietrick on the double-blind PE samples?

As for the modified analysis, I have not yet received designation as R9 COR, Charlie, Dietrick, are you in agreement with the attached modified analysis? Does it meet the needs of the project QAPP?

Joe – Dante will be contracting you regarding data validation needs for this project.

Let me know if you need anything assistance on this.

Rich,

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